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ELBA ROTC CADETS UNDERGO INSPECTION



The 1972-73 "Annual Formal Inspection" of Elba High Schools of J ROTC Battalion was held on April 5, 1973. The inspection team from the University of Southern Mississippi, Hattiesburg, Miss., was headed by Col. Guy Groff, Professor of Military Science at the University. Two captains and one sergeant, members of Col. Groff's Senior ROTC Staff, made up the balance of the inspection team. Cadet Sgt. Vann Vaughan, J ROTC Color Guard Commander, briefed on the activities of the color guard. Cadet 2nd Lt. Danny Smith, drill team commander, briefly explained the activities, training and purpose of the drill team. 1st Lt. Rita Marler, J ROTC Sponsor, gave a brief talk concerning sponsor activities and the sponsor program. Cadet 1st Lt. Mike Bush covered the organization of J ROTC at Elba, and Cadet LTC. James Morrow, Battalion Commander, gave an overall review summary of the J ROTC program in its second year at Elba.

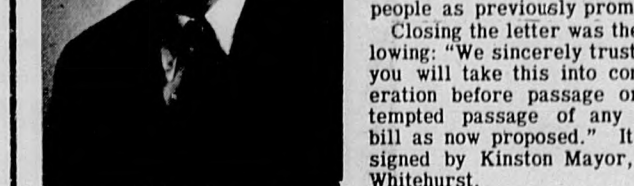
Following the briefings, Cadet Companies, Color Guard and Sponsors were inspected in formation by the inspecting party. In addition to the inspection in formation, cadets were questioned on academic subjects and leadership material covered during the academic year. At the conclusion of the inspection, Col. Groff gave a short critique of the inspection for J ROTC instructors, School Officials, and Cadet Leaders. Final results of the inspection will not be known until official word is received from Headquarters Third United States Army, Fort McPherson, Georgia, in Atlanta.

Kinston Opposes Unit System Without Vote

The City Council of the Town of Kinston passed a resolution last Monday evening going on record as opposing the "Unit System" of road maintenance without a vote of the people. The resolution and an explanatory letter were sent to Representative Douglas Easters. Copies were sent to Governor George Wallace, Senator L. L. Dozier and to this newspaper.

The resolution, which was first proposed in a council meeting on April 2, noted that "The City Council of the Town of Kinston is critically aware of the efforts being made and of the problems involved in bringing into reality a 'unit system' of road maintenance for Coffee County... after careful deliberation the City Council of the Town of Kinston feels that the 'unit system' of road maintenance should be put to a vote of all the people of Coffee County as previously promised by its elected state representative."

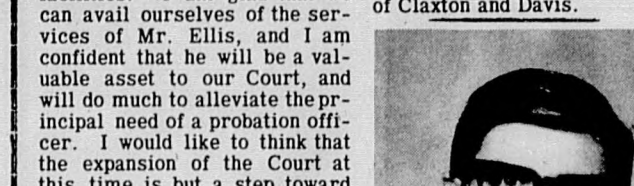
The City Council of the Town of Kinston does oppose any local bill approving a "Unit System" of road maintenance for Coffee County without a vote of the people as previously promised. Closing the letter was the following: "We sincerely trust that you will take this into consideration before passing or attempting passage of any such bill as now proposed." It was signed by Kinston Mayor, Bill Whitehurst.



James Ellis Named Coffee Probation Man

Judge Fleetwood Carney announces the appointment of James C. Ellis of Enterprise, Alabama, as Judicial Assistant to the Inferior Court of Coffee County, Alabama. Mr. Ellis is a native of Coffee County, having received his preparatory education in the Enterprise School System, and is a graduate of Auburn University with a B. A. Degree in Political Science. Mr. Ellis' duties will principally be in the Juvenile Court, as an administrative and probation officer, enabling the Court to handle more efficiently the ever increasing case load.

The employment of additional personnel has been made possible through a LEPA grant to Coffee County recently announced by Judge James L. Sawyer. In commenting upon the appointment of Mr. Ellis, Judge Carney said, "I am indeed grateful that we have secured funds to employ needed personnel to assist in the administration of the Juvenile Court, the most important function of the Inferior Court. We realize that we haven't been able to meet all the demands made upon the Court due to the handicap of having a lack of personnel and facilities. I am glad that we can avail ourselves of the services of Mr. Ellis, and I am confident that he will be a valuable asset to our Court, and will do much to alleviate the principal need of a probation officer. I would like to think that the expansion of the Court at this time is but a step toward the improvement of our Juvenile Court system through both personnel and greatly needed facilities and resources."



Advisory Group To Hold Meet Monday Night

The Coffee County Planning Advisory Committee, formerly called by the late Louie Edwards, will meet April 23 in Elba at 7:00 p.m. The leadership of this group is being assumed by Mr. Philip Martin, a dairy farmer in Coffee County.

The committee is continuing their review of the Comprehensive Planning Study. Scheduled for discussion at this meeting are the elements of Land Use, Housing, and Health Services. The discussion of these topics will conclude the committee's review of the study draft. Public is invited to attend.

Revival Planned By Wise Mill

There will be a revival at Wise Mill Assembly of God Church the week of April 22-29 with the Rev. T. C. Hardy, of the First Assembly of God Church of Dothan, Alabama, speaking.



Mrs. Ringsdorf Named Woman Of Achievement

At a dinner-banquet Monday, April 9, the Business and Professional Women's Club of Elba honored Mrs. Mary F. Ringsdorf as their Woman of Achievement for 1973. Seventy people paid tribute to Mrs. Ringsdorf at the Elba Country Club. Upon arrival the guests were served punch by Mrs. Mable Lawless and Miss Jane Morrow. Miss Cindy Stokes played music. The club President, Mrs. Bettye Adkinson welcomed the guests and Mrs. Mable Lawless gave the invocation. Then Mrs. Myrtle Sellers led in the Pledge to the Flag. Mrs. Adkinson introduced the past Woman of Achievement who were in attendance. They were: Mrs. Sara Rainer, Mrs. Mary Downing, Mrs. Bessie Braswell, Miss Emma Farris, and Mrs. Althea Prescott. A moment of silent prayer was observed in honor of Mrs. Katherine Mallins, last year's winner, who is ill in an Ozark hospital.

After the dinner, Mrs. Corrine Lowery, Program Chairman for the evening, led in the presentation of the program. Mrs. Nellie Martin gave a past history of Mrs. Ringsdorf whose two sons, Dr. Marshall Ringsdorf of Birmingham, and "Captain Ben" of Elba, were present. A third son, Fraser, who resides in Turkey, wrote a letter of tribute to his mother. This letter was read by Mrs. Joan Moore. Mrs. Mary Alice Wise told of Mrs. Ringsdorf's deep abiding faith in God. Mrs. Wayne Boswell spoke to the group about Mrs. Ringsdorf's patriotism and love of her country.

Mrs. Adkinson then presented the honoree with a lovely bouquet of flowers and the trophy which goes with this honor. Mrs. Luna Dell Ring dismissed the gathering by reading the Club Collect.

Dickinson Will Visit In Elba Next Monday

Congressman William L. "Bill" Dickinson (R-Ala.) is planning a week-long visit (April 20-27) to Alabama's Second District during the Easter Congressional Recess. He announced from his Washington office today.

Kathy Smith Wins District Sewing Honor

Recognizing sewing as a very special form of a woman's creative expression, the General Federation of Women's Clubs, in cooperation with Spades County Patterns, sponsored a sewing contest -- "Ideal Costume for the Clubwoman's Travel Wardrobe" -- for GFWC members. Entries were made and modeled by individual club members, and all were made from Spades Famous Designer Patterns.

Kathy chose easy-care polyester knit and designed it in a comfortable pants ensemble. The easy fit jacket featured a front zipper and top-stitching for superb detailing. Silver rimmed covered buttons, teamed with straight leg pants completed the outfit.

The contest opened July 1, 1972 and closed March 1, 1973. Judging on the local district and state level was done by April 10, 1973. National competition will take place May 10, 1973, in Milford, New Jersey. The national winner will be announced and her garment displayed at the GFWC annual convention June 3-7, 1973 in Baltimore, Maryland.

Mrs. Jack Padgett is chairman of the Arts Department for the Three Seasons Study Club.

POOR ORIGINAL



Faulk - Magnus Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Bill B. Faulk, of Enterprise, formerly of Elba, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sharon Nanette, to Mr. Andrew Edward Magnus, Jr., of Montgomery, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew E. Magnus, Sr., also of Montgomery.

Special Music Planned At First Baptist Easter

The morning and evening services at First Baptist Church this Easter Sunday will include special music by the combined Youth and Chancel Choirs. At the eleven o'clock service the choir will sing "Hallelujah Chorus" from Handel's "MESSIAH". During the evening service, the choir will present a new musical written by Dr. John W. Peterson, entitled "The Good Life". This service begins at seven o'clock.

All who do not plan to attend church elsewhere are invited and urged to worship at First Baptist by the pastor, Robert Davis, and minister of music, Robert Holliman.



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Baby Girl Born To Mr. & Mrs. Steve Adkinson

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Adkinson announce the birth of a daughter, Stephanie Anne born Friday, April 13 in an Enterprise hospital.

The baby weighed 5 pounds, 11 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Edd Tucker, and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Adkinson, all of Elba.

Magnolia Garden Club Meets

The Magnolia Garden Club met in the Fellowship Hall at the First Baptist Church in Ap-

ril with Mrs. Herbert Bailey, Mrs. Willard Martin, Mrs. Charles Kilpatrick and Mrs. Robert March as hostesses. The members and guests were served punch and cookies from a table decorated in the Easter theme of Easter eggs and flowers. Baskets of flowers were arranged throughout the room and an Easter egg tree graced the entry.

Mrs. Marc Cook, president, welcomed the guests and Mrs. Lister Brunson, program chairman, introduced Mr. C. F. Jackson from Enterprise who gave a talk on Gardening. After his talk, Mr. Jackson had a question and answer period.

Spring Fishing Tournament To Be Held At Ft. Rucker

The Fifth Annual Spring Fishing Tournament will be held at Lake Tholozan, Ft. Rucker, Ala., beginning at 5 a. m. April 29. Registration begins at 4 a. m. on April 29. An entry fee of

\$ 5.00 will be required. State licenses and post permits must be presented before registration. Contestants, who do not have a Ft. Rucker annual permit must purchase a daily fishing permit. For non-military contestants the Ft. Rucker boat registration requirement will be waived for the tournament. The Game Warden's Office in the vicinity of the Ft. Rucker Wildlife Clubhouse will be open at 4 a. m. to issue the necessary permits.

All rules will comply with the laws of Alabama. Contestants must state whether they will enter the Bass Category or Mixed Catch Category and will not be allowed to change their decision once the tournament is underway. Fish that are caught must be weighed and registered not later than 6:30 p. m.

First, second and third place prizes will be given in each category. Special prizes also will be given for the largest single fish.

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Meadow Gold Carton Gets Rainbow Look

There's going to be a bright new "rainbow" look to milk packaging in the Elba area very soon, when Meadow Gold homogenized milk starts appearing in fresh new cartons with white, yellow, orange and red and blue stripes.

J. G. Adkinson, director of marketing for the Supreme Ice Cream Company division of Beatrice Foods Co., announced this week that the new packaging be introduced by mid-April. Packages for chocolate milk, buttermilk, skim milk and half and half milk are in similar multi striped colors.

"We've been working on this design concept for more than a year," Parkman commented. "We feel that it's right in step with Meadow Gold's general outlook—that of a modern, up-to-date, forward-looking company." "Our new packages are up-to-date. Now it's easy to pick 'em."

State Highway Department Steps Up Weighing Efforts

The State Highway Department is stepping up its truck weighing efforts throughout the State through the use of portable weighing scales, Highway Director Ray Bass announced today.

Within a matter of days the Department is scheduled to receive enough portable scales to equip each of the eight districts within the state, Bass said.

Governor Wallace has made it clear to Col. Dohard and to me, that he intends for this weight control program to continue in a most effective way to guarantee the protection of our citizens on our highways," Bass said.

According to Highway Department officials, the most effective way to guarantee this protection is through the use of portable scales, since most violators are operating within Alabama and can easily run around the more permanent expensive true scales.

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SPORTS

First this week, let us take note of another good Montgomery baseball team. A lot of baseball fans gripe about Elba being the closest place to see good professional baseball, but if we look closer, we find the 1969 Tallahassee Dons, who Montgomery might bring us that pleasure. I wonder just how many of us fans were aware of the fact that Fred Hatfield's Rebs won the Southern League championship last season, and also have finished on top in their first four games this season.

It's true that Montgomery baseball is not the Major League type, but a look at the talent the Rebs have this season is a look at the future of big league talent. Ike Bleisell, probably the most dangerous power hitter in the lineup, is a sure bet to become a Detroit Tiger, possibly before the end of the season. Another promising young player is Ron Cash, former Florida State third baseman who plays the "hot spot" very similar to Ken Boyer.

From the managerial standpoint, Montgomery has in Hatfield perhaps the most successful minor league manager in the history of the sport. He has managed in the Detroit organization four years and has won his league championship every one of them. Can anyone argue with that record?

Lastly, this is not a plug for attendance at Rebel baseball games. Montgomery was second only to Asheville, North Carolina in that category last season. The hometown fans support the team well. It's just to say that we must not complain about not having a baseball team to support.

Hank Aaron, ageless slugger of the Atlanta Braves, is off to another fast start this season in his quest to overtake Babe Ruth as baseball's home-run king. "The Hammer" hit two home runs in the Braves' first four games and doesn't seem to be losing his touch for hitting it on Peachtree Street, as Milo would say. Though Atlanta seems to be a weak team-wise as it was last season, Aaron gives Braves' fans something to tune into.

Isn't it nice to see Homer

The
Pastor's
Corner

REV EDWIN R. SELLS

This is indeed a tremendous week for all Christians. This week is called Holy Week. Today is Maundy Thursday, tomorrow is Good Friday and Sunday is Easter Day. These three days are important ones in the life of the Christian Church and in the life of our Lord Jesus Christ.

On this Thursday, we think of Christ as He faced God in prayer in the Garden of Gethsemane. We think of Judas, the disciple who betrayed Jesus. We think on Good Friday of the role of Pontius Pilate and Herod and certainly about the part that Simon of Cyrene played in the Crucifixion Story. We think about the Roman soldiers who gambled for His clothing. We think about the women who gathered to watch the end and their devotion. We remember the faithful disciples who died with Jesus. And certainly, we remember the Christ and the words that He spoke even to the end.

So important to each one of us is the Cross. To the Jew, the cross meant the depths of degradation. The Roman viewed it with contempt, the Greeks with loathing. Why not emphasize Christ's life rather than His death? John gives us the answer. The cross shows the depth to which God's love will go, and the appalling suffering it will endure to save the sinner. Turn anew in adoring love to Calvary where Christ died for us all.

We need then to realize the great meaning of the Cross before we try to understand the greatness of the resurrection. Christ does live on and so do we who have accepted Him and are joyfully seeking to serve Him. There is a story told of a grandmother who died but still lives on in a rather concrete way. While one of the members of the family was using a dictionary some months after Grandma's death, a note in her handwriting was found in the book. The note read, "You remember all those magic tricks you wanted last summer? Look in the bottom drawer, dear." For several years after Grandma died that family found all sorts of presents, notes and games that she had hidden before her death. The last little note was found pinned to Grandma's wedding veil, which a granddaughter was going to wear. It simply read "Good luck, Joanne! I'm sure I'd love him, too." Yes, in a far different even more impressive way, CHRIST LIVES. This is the message for Easter!

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GOLDEN DELICIOUS APPLES **45¢**
JUICY CALIFORNIA VALENCIA ORANGES **19¢**
FLAVORFUL CANTALOUPE **59¢**
CRISP CRUNCHY CARROTS **39¢**
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COLONIAL DESSERT CUPS **30¢**
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COLONIAL ROMAN MEAL BREAD **59¢**

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SAVE 27¢
quart jar **48¢**

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SPINACH **23¢**
PORK & BEANS VAN CAMP **35¢**
SWEET POTATOES SUGAR SAM **47¢**

HY-TOP DETERGENT 84-oz. box **\$1.09**
BLEACH **49¢**
FABRIC SOFTENER **59¢**
SPRAY STARCH **39¢**

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VICKI CROOK BEV COX BRENDA SPANN

Miss Bev Cox, 17 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cox, was selected Miss Elba last Thursday evening. She was selected from a group of 27 lovely young ladies.

Runners-up in the event were Vicki Crook, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Crook. Second runner-up was 16 year old Brenda Spann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Spann.

Miss Cox also won the bathing suit competition held earlier in the day Thursday. Thursday morning she was named Captain of the Elba High Cheerleaders for the coming year.

The event is sponsored annually by the Elba Lions Club. (See pictures on page 8)

STAMP COLLECTION ON DISPLAY AT KINSTON POST OFFICE
Next week is Postal Week in America and Monday April 30th is Postal People Day recognizing the many postal people whose efforts keep 90 billion pieces of mail moving annually. On Monday the Kinston Post Office will have on display a very extensive stamp collection. This collection has every stamp issued in America for many years back. This collection will be on display in the lobby of the Kinston post office all day Monday.

JOINT CHURCH SERVICES PLANNED THIS WEEKEND
The joint service of the First Baptist Church and the Elba United Methodist Church will be conducted next Sunday evening, April 29th, at 7:00 p.m. at the United Methodist Church. The sermon will be brought by the Rev. Robert Davis, pastor of First Baptist Church. Special music will be sung by the Chancel and Youth Choir of the United Methodist Church, under the direction of Mr. Steve Angle, Minister of Music and Youth.

The ministers of the two churches encourage their membership to be present and cordially invite visitors to attend this joint service.

MEAT PRICES MUST BE POSTED
Retail stores are expected to have legible meat ceiling price lists posted Monday, April 9, Dwight Baptist, Internal Revenue Service District for Alabama said Friday.

"We recognize that some stores, particularly the smaller retailers, may face difficulties in computing their ceiling prices," Baptist said.

"If price lists are not properly posted, customers should question the store manager. If price lists are not posted within a reasonable time, consumers should call their local IRS office," Baptist said.

FLIM-FLAM ARTIST WORKING RURAL AREAS OF COUNTY
William G. Marx, owner of Marx Grocery, on Rt. 1, Elba, says he was short-changed by a "money-shark" earlier this week.

Mr. Marx said that a man in a white and blue Cadillac bought \$1.00 worth of gas, paid him with a \$20 bill, short-changed him of \$11.00, and took off before he could stop him.

According to Mr. Marx, there were three other passengers in the car, two women and another man. The other man was the driver. No one got out of the car until he (Mr. Marx) went to serve them. Then the man followed him into the store to pay.

He gave Mr. Marx a \$20 bill, and as Mr. Marx was putting down the \$19.00 change, the man pulled out several large rolls of money of various denominations. "Then he asked Mr. Marx to make his change another way, and as Mr. Marx was complying with this, he then said, 'No, just give me back my \$20.' All the while, the man kept handling the money and kept talking. The two women had come in and were making separate small purchases and trying to pay him, adding to the confusion.

By the time Mr. Marx realized what had happened, the car and its occupants were gone. He noted that it had a Florida license plate and the man spoke with a common Southern speech.

A similar incident has occurred at another small store near Enterprise, according to its owner.

CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR C. J. SULLIVAN TALKS WITH AIRPORT MANAGER JACK SONDERGAARD

Brunsons by the hundreds will be coming to Elba late this week and during the weekend to attend the annual Brunson Reunion on Sunday, April 29.

Mr. Fox Brunson, sponsor of the historic family reunion has stated that relatives from throughout Alabama, Florida, and Georgia are expected. He has heard from family members in Virginia, Tennessee, Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi who plan to be present this year. The reunion is usually attended by between four and five hundred each year.

The Brunson Reunion, believed to be the oldest tradition in Coffee County, began in 1853 when Matthew Brunson and his wife Sarah Blanchard moved their family here. They homesteaded land near the Woodland Grove Baptist Church and Pea River. The reunion began as a birthday celebration for Matthew Brunson, the honored sire of the family.

During the hundred and twenty years of this annual tradition, it has been sponsored by the late Matthew Brunson, Jr., Arthur Brunson, Will Brunson, and Ben Brunson. For the last twenty-one years, it has been sponsored by Fox Brunson. It represents one of Coffee County's oldest, largest and most prominent families.

CANCER FUND DRIVE KICKED-OFF ON MONDAY NIGHT
The kick-off for the annual Cancer Fund Drive was held Monday night at the Peoples Bank. The dates for the annual drive were set for May 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31.

Chairman of the Cancer County Cancer Crusade is L.S. Rainer. Mrs. Betty Stone is West Coffee County chairman with Mr. Sam Rowe serving as member chairman and Mrs. C.C. Ricketts as publicity chairman. Mrs. Kathy Smith, W.L. Brunson, Mrs. Loretta Sawyer, Mrs. Evelyn Kelley, Captain Ben Rindge, Mrs. Trell Hogg, Mrs. Eula Moore, Mr. Virgil Coleman, Mr. Bill Thompson, Mr. James Kelley, Mr. Danny Johnson, Reverend Chester Hammond and Mrs. Annette Hammond each named to head certain committees in Elba and New Brockton.

RESCUE SQUAD REPORT
The Elba Rescue Squad made ten transfers during the period of April 17-24. They also assisted in transporting storm victims to the hospital.

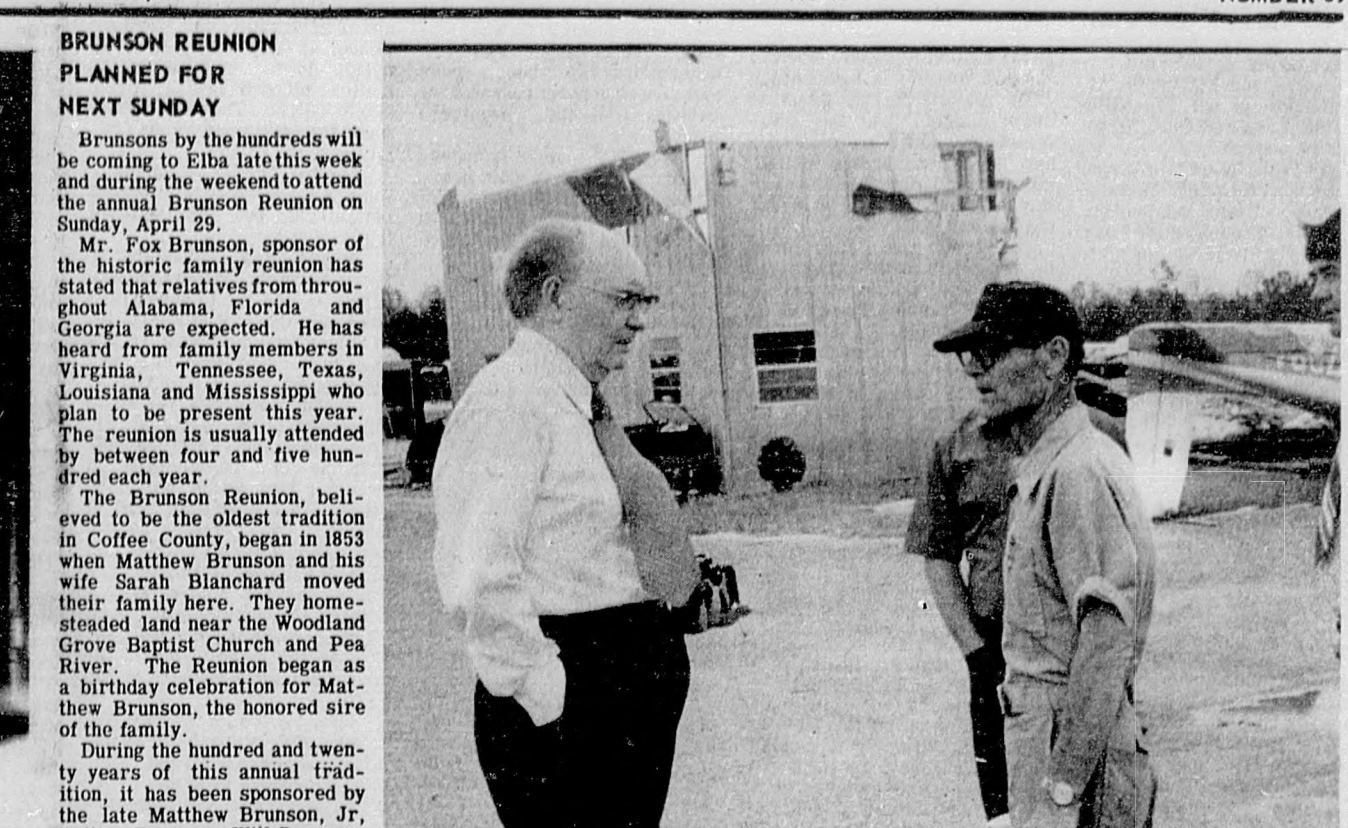
HORSE SHOW IS PLANNED HERE ON SATURDAY
The Enterprise Moose Lodge is promoting a horse show and barbecue to be held Saturday April 28 at the Elba Riding Club Arena located on W. 11 Taylor Farm, Taylor Mill Road, Elba. Admission will be free with the general public cordially invited. In the event of inclement weather the show will be held Sunday April 29th.

There will be twenty-six classes wherein horsemen and horsewomen can display their skills and abilities of their horses, both quarter horses and walking horses. Entrants are expected to come from a wide area of Southeast Alabama and Northwest Florida. The entry fee for each class is \$2.00. In addition to the trophies and plaques that will be awarded in each class, high point trophies will be awarded for overall Senior and Junior entries and additional high point walking horse trophy.

Along with the Horse Show which is scheduled to begin at 1:00 p.m., the Enterprise Moose Lodge will be serving pit cooked barbecue plates beginning at 11:00 a.m. and continuing throughout the afternoon. Hamburgers, hot dogs and coles will also be offered for sale. The proceeds from the show and concessions will go to the Enterprise Moose Lodge Building Fund.

FIRE REPORT
The Elba Fire Department answered five calls during the period of April 17-24. On April 18 they were on standby at the airport following the tornado. Also on the 18th the Kenneth Hudson home on Sunset Blvd. caught fire and was damaged some.

The Mike Taylor home had some wires to short on April 19th. On the 21st there was a grass fire in Forest Hills subdivision. The 23rd Southland Sand and Gravel & Asphalt Plant had some equipment to burn.



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TORNADO'S HIT WIDE AREA OF WEST COFFEE COUNTY

Elba was hit hard by a bad storm last Wednesday afternoon shortly after 5 p.m. The west bureau in Montgomery never reported any signs of tornadoes in the area but trying to convince those who lost trailers, houses, barns, airplanes and trees to the weather that there was no twisters at all will easily provoke violence.

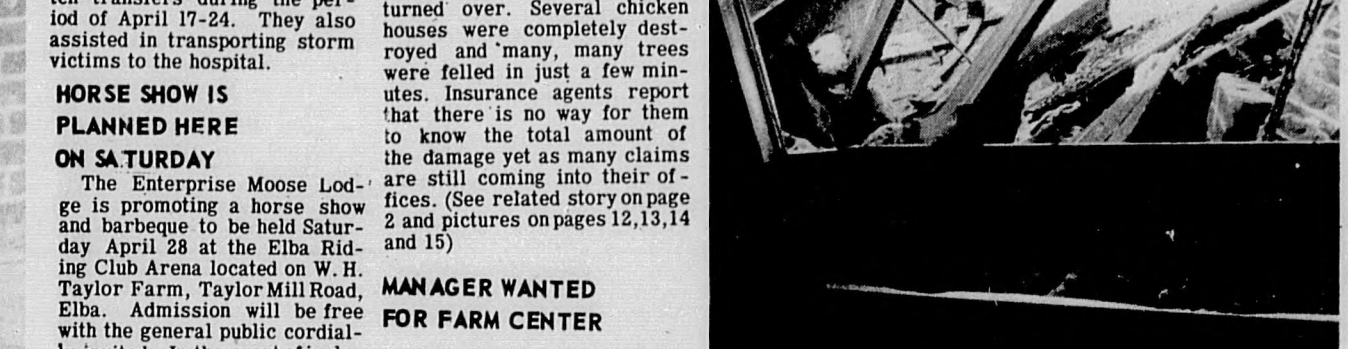
The \$2.5-million dollar storm hit in spots from West of Curtis to half-way between Elba and Troy, coming from the southwest and leaving here to the northeast. The damage area covers a wide area, stretching from Basin northward to Pine Level. The storm was accompanied by heavy hail that stayed on the ground until ten p.m.

Fourteen people were injured but none killed, in spite of the total destruction in some areas. The Elba airport suffered heavy damage with a hangar and 21 aircraft either damaged or destroyed.

About 15 mobile homes were destroyed and 8 to 10 others turned over. Several chicken houses were completely destroyed and many, many trees were felled in just a few minutes. Insurance agents report that there is no way for them to know the total amount of the damage yet as many claims are still coming into their offices. (See related story on page 2 and pictures on pages 12, 13, 14 and 15)

MANAGER WANTED FOR FARM CENTER
Applications are now being accepted for manager of the Coffee County Farm Center, located in New Brockton. Applications blanks can be picked up at the New Brockton Post Office.

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